Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph, beginning at page 3, line 26 ("One or more recesses..."), with the following rewritten paragraph:

One or more recesses 16 are formed in heat sink 10 to carry an edge of a circuit card 20. Recesses 16 may be defined by base 12, by one or more fins 14 or fin portions (as shown in Figure 1), or by a combination of base 12 and one or more fins 14. In an exemplary embodiment, recess 16 are slots or grooves configured to carry the edge of circuit board 101. Each of the one or more recesses 16 has a width W16 sufficient to receive the edge of circuit card 20 and to provide support to hold circuit card 20 in alignment with a corresponding one of recesses 16. Each of the one or more recesses 16 has a depth D16, extending to a portion 12' of the base 12, sufficient to support circuit card 20 without interfering with components (not shown) mounted on circuit bard 20.